

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**  
**MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS**

**OFFICE:** NEWARK

**DATE:** July 19, 2022

**JUDGE:** KATHARINE S. HAYDEN

**COURT REPORTER:** LAURIE ENGEMANN

**TITLE OF CASE:**

**DOCKET #** 20-cr-209

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

vs.

MICHAEL CHEFF

**APPEARANCES:**

Thomas Kearney & Jihee Suh, AUSA for Government

John D. Lynch & Paulette L. Pitt Esq., for Defendant

**Nature of Proceedings:** Oral Argument re D.E. [74] Motion For Acquittal or New Trial by Michael Cheff

Defendant present via zoom and consents to proceed by video.

Hearing held.

MOTION [D.E.74] DENIED.

**Time Commenced:** 11:00 a.m

**Time Adjourned:** 12:10 p.m.

Christine Melillo, Courtroom Deputy  
to the Honorable Katharine S. Hayden, U.S.D.J